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NOT A POLITICAL ISSUE.

Newfoundland's Premier Says There is no Feeling on the Island About Union.

Short Skirt Crusade in London—The Quebec Act Declared to be Illegal.

A Vessel Which Had Been Given Up as Lost Arrives in San Francisco.

MONTREAL, Nov. 19.—Sir William Whiteway when here yesterday, on being asked about the interviews said to have taken place between him and newspaper representatives and published everywhere throughout the Dominion, said that they were almost wholly fictitious. The only authentic statement as to the recent conference given to the public was that furnished to the Halifax papers by the delegates themselves. He had nothing to add to that, because the conduct of these intercolonial negotiations must be left exclusively to two governments. Questioned, however, as to the feeling of the Newfoundlanders on the question of union, Sir William said: "There is no feeling on the subject. It is not an issue in politics, and has not been a living question since 1869. He added that the discussion of the subject of reciprocal trade relations between the Dominion and the Island was the principal business of the conference. These relations had become somewhat strained when the Dominion Government a year and a half ago prevailed on the Imperial Government to stop the negotiations then pending between the Newfoundland and Washington Governments. The readjustment of these relations was the object of the conference.

Canada's Fruit Exhibit.

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 19.—Mr. Larke, assistant Dominion commissioner to the World's Fair, was in town this morning making arrangements in connection with the Canadian fruit exhibit. It is proposed to keep the Canadian winter apples in cold storage until they are required for exhibition, when they will be placed on view in their natural state. The hardy fruit will be exhibited in sealed bottles. Mr. Bigelow met Mr. Larke here yesterday. Mr. Bigelow has charge of the special fruit car from Nova Scotia, which carries the Maritime Provinces exhibit, and into which it is also proposed to load the exhibit from this province. Mr. Larke states that they are receiving every facility from the United States authorities and speaks warmly of the courteous treatment extended them by Mr. Knapp, consul-general here.

Battered by Ceaseless Gales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—To-day the British bark Lodore reached this port, after an unusually long passage from Montevideo, in fact in marine circles it was believed that the Lodore would never reach port, and 50 per cent. advance on the insurance had been offered. The vessel had a very stormy passage, and the crew in many instances had narrow escapes and were badly used up. At times the bark was thrown on her beam ends, and tossed about like a chip by the mountainous seas that rolled around her. Her cargo shifted during the first gales she passed through, and in fact the bark was almost wrecked. The Lodore sailed from Newcastle, England, on the 10th of last March.

Gold in Nova Scotia.

TRURO, N.S., Nov. 19.—There is great excitement here just now in consequence of an important discovery of gold at the Caribou mines, worked by the Truro Gold Mining Company, about thirty miles from here. The present discovery surpasses everything yet discovered in Nova Scotia, and is expected to turn out the largest and richest gold mine ever opened in Canada.

Quebec Act Declared Illegal.

AYLMER, Que., Nov. 19.—Yesterday the Quebec Act, under which the Government collected a 1½ per cent. tax on transfers of mining properties, was declared illegal by Judge Malheol in rendering judgment in the case of the Symmons Coffey Company.

Catholic Archbishops' Conference.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—At the second day's session of the annual conference of the archbishops of the Roman Catholic church in the United States all the archbishops or their representatives were present, as was Archbishop Satolli, the papal delegate. They included Archbishops Ryan, Rivedan, Kenrick, Ireland, Corrigan, Elder, Williams, Katzer, Janssins and Feehan. The deliberations were again carried on behind closed doors, and out of compliment to Archbishop Satoli, the only prelate present who did not understand English, the proceedings were conducted entirely in Latin. The major portion of the time, it was learned, was occupied in discussing certain secret societies, the debate referring chiefly to the Odd Fellows, numbering about 500,000 in the United States, and the Sons of Temperance, whose roll includes about 70,000. Archbishop Katzer, of Milwaukee, presented the petition of the German Catholic Central society, of the United States, which was adopted at Dubuque in September last, asking the conference to clearly define the designation "secret society" in plain and unmistakable terms, as doubt has been raised in the minds of the church authorities as to whether tee societies named come under the ban of the papal bull. In explaining his position Archbishop Katzer said that it is absolutely not true that Freemasonry is the only society forbidden by the church, and that consequently a Catholic may join any other lodge or society except the Free Masons. He quoted from the injunction of the third plenary council at Baltimore in support of his view upon the subject. According to Archbishop Katzer, the society of Odd Fellows has within late years gained a large increase of membership from the Catholic ranks on the plea that they are not Free Masons and, therefore, not a society forbidden by the Catholic church. The council of Baltimore has appointed the college of the archbishops as the only competent tribunal in the matter of secret societies, he argued, and it is the duty of the present conference to determine exactly the question at issue. The majority of the council coincided with the opinions expressed by Archbishop Katzer, and appropriate action will be taken before the close of the conference, so that the matter may be indisputably settled.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—It is thought that the conference of Catholic Archbishops, which has been in progress in this city for several days, will come to an end this evening or to-morrow. No official announcement of the proceedings, or the resolutions adopted, will, according to one of the participants, be made until it has been reviewed at Rome. It is understood that as a result of the conference active measures will be inaugurated in the direction of making the Catholic educational exhibit at the World's Fair as perfect in every respect as that of the government. The action of the conference on the question of secret societies will be awaited with something more than interest; especially in view of the fact that not many days ago it was said by a prominent ecclesiastic that before very many months a papal encyclical will be issued under which communicants in the Catholic church will be permitted to affiliate themselves with any of the secret societies, save and except the Masonic fraternity.

COLLIDED IN HARBOR.

The Steamer Cutch Runs Down the Joan Causing Considerable Damage.

Cattle Killers Sent to the Assizes—A Sheep Stealer Gets Off Easily.

NANAIMO, Nov. 19.—Joe, the Japanese who was arrested for stealing sheep on Salt Spring Island, was brought before Judge Harrison yesterday under the Speedy Trials Act. Mr. G. Hunter, crown prosecutor, appeared for the crown and Mr. J. P. Walls for the defense. Mr. Hunter asked leave to enter a nolle prosequi on the ground of the absence of one important witness. Mr. Walls opposed the request, stating the counsel for the crown had no power to enter a nolle prosequi without leave from the Attorney-General. Judge Harrison granted the request and the Jap was discharged.

F. Peck and J. Buckly were brought before Magistrate Planta yesterday on a charge of wantonly shooting cattle in the Mountain district. The defense set up a plea of shooting in self-defense, stating that the bull was a vicious one and that it was charging the defendants when they fired at it. This statement is denied by the prosecution, so the presiding magistrate, at the request of Chief of Police Stewart, decided to send the case to the assizes and the defendants were allowed out on $1000 bonds.

The heavy rains which fell yesterday caused a large slide in the roadway opposite the Co-operative store. This spot has had hundreds of tons of rock and gravel deposited in it, and after every rain it has to be filled up, still the work of caving in goes on. It is a wonder to many where all the stuff goes to as it is not far to the bottom of the worked out mine.

Last night the steamers Joan and Cutch tied up at the same wharf, the Joan on the front, the Cutch on the right side, looking outward. This morning they both started to leave the wharf together about 7 o'clock, the Joan bound for Victoria, the Cutch for Vancouver. The Joan pulled around on the left and began to move out, the Cutch by a stern line moved around the corner and the Joan's bow, and while going ahead struck the Joan amidships, bursting a steam pipe. The Joan left for Victoria about noon, the damage having been repaired. Besides the breaking of a steam pipe, the Joan's railing was badly broken by the collision.

Insurance and Suicides.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 18.—Prolonged litigation is likely to attend the settlement of the estate of the late William M. Runk, the dry goods magnate who committed suicide some weeks ago, and who gathered insurance during his life to a total of nearly a half million dollars. The insurance is distributed between eight companies, and some of these have already refused payment on the ground that by ending his own life the unfortunate man violated the terms of his contract, and invalidated his insurance. Some of the policies contain the clause by which suicide fails to be a bar to payment of the insurance after a lapse of two years, and in four of such policies this provision would have gone into effect if the unfortunate man had postponed his act of self destruction for a week, and his widow would have been benefited thereby to the extent of at least $100,000. So far payments of policies aggregating $160,000 has been refused.

Coal for Cash.

Rattray, in his new office at No. 42 Johnson street, in the new Turner building, opposite Gilmore & McCandless', is selling the best doubled screened Wellington coal; weight guaranteed, 2000 pounds to the ton, for cash only. *

Amusements.

For particulars and dates of amusements, see fourth page, column next editorial.

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OCEAN'S PLAYTHINGS.

Latest Particulars of the Dreadful Fate of the Steamship Bokhara.

It Was a Long, Stubborn Battle With Wind and Sea and the Elements Won the Fight.

Tremendous Seas Drown the Furnaces and the Horrible Finale Soon Follows.

The story of the terrible disaster to the P. & O. steamship Bokhara in the Formosa channel, off the Pescadores Islands, on October 8th, is given in all its grim details in the following summary of the report of the survivors. Mr. G. H. Prickett, chief officer of the ill-fated vessel, gave the following details at the official inquiry regarding the vessel.

I was chief officer of the Bokhara and hold a certificate as master, granted at London in 1889. I have served in the Bokhara from the 26th June, 1892, as chief officer. The Bokhara was a three masted steamer of 2,948 tons net, 1,697 tons register. She was built by Caird & Co., Greenock, in 1873, length 365 feet, beam 39 feet, depth 29 feet moulded, nominal horse power 2,500. The captain was Charles D. Sams. The crew consisted of four officers, four engineers, a winchman, a boilermaker, seven quartermasters, a European boatswain and a carpenter, 42 deck hands (Lascars), and about 25 stewards. I do not know the number below. We left Shanghai bound for Hongkong on 8th October carrying mails and general cargo. I cannot say how many passengers there were. We had on board the Hongkong cricket team who had been up to Shanghai to play a match. There was not a full cargo, only about 1,500 tons. Her draught of water on leaving was 17.10 fore and aft.

The survivors' story is:—It was at noon on Saturday, 8th inst., that the Bokhara sailed from Shanghai. At the outset a fresh N.E. monsoon was experienced with a moderate following sea. This continued till Sunday morning, when a British gunboat was passed, but whether it was H.M.S. Pigmy or H.M.S. Peacock the survivors are unable to say. She was heading northwest and the Austrian corvette Fasana was also passed going in the same direction. After mid-day on Sunday the weather began to get very thick, the wind increasing and the barometer falling, this being taken as a sure indication that dirty weather might be expected. No land was to be seen at mid-day, when observations were taken for position, but Mr. Ingles, second officer, got a position between two and three o'clock putting the ship 18 miles west of the dead reckoning. Thereupon the course was altered ten degrees to the eastward. At eight o'clock on Sunday evening the barometer stood at 28.88, and from this time it fell steadily till four o'clock on Monday, when it stood at 29.13. The position on Sunday evening is given approximately as 8 miles east of Tung Ying Island. The ship's course was altered to make Turnabout Island and her head was turned S. 34 W. The Bokhara seems to have had precisely the same experience as the Phra Nang, City of Peking, Kaifong and other steamers in the vicinity of Turnabout on Sunday and Monday, and Captain Sams, who was not unacquainted with the storms and currents of the China coast, thought of adopting the usual course followed here of laying to.

At 10 o'clock he called together his officers and took their counsel as to the advisability of laying to, the belief being that a typhoon was approaching from the southward. At this time the following sea was breaking over the decks; all hands were called on deck and everything made taut for dirty weather, the sails being taken in about midnight. Mr. Prickett, chief officer, joined his commander on the bridge about 2 o'clock on Monday morning, and reported that everything was ready for laying to, and the ship was brought to the wind, going slow on the port tack and heading from between N. 80 E. to N. 50 E. She behaved very well, notwithstanding the fact that a mountainous sea was running. All the time the wind had been freshening into a gale with terrific squalls, and the haze round about prevented those on board from seeing more than half a mile away. On the chief officer taking the watch at 4 o'clock, Capt. Sams went below, leaving orders that he was to be called if there was any change. With the advent of daylight it was noticed by the men on watch that the water was very much discolored, and the lead was heaved. It showed a depth of 25 fathoms. This was reported to Capt. Sams, but soon after green water was seen and the lead gave a depth of 30 fathoms. Throughout the voyage up to the time the Bokhara struck, the lead soundings were taken very frequently, and in this respect everything appears to have been done by the captain and officers to avoid danger by running on a reef. Capt. Sams and his chief officer came to the conclusion that the ship had reached far enough to eastward to put her over on the other tack and so work down the Formosa Channel until the sea and wind moderated.

At 8 o'clock, however, the sea and wind were terrific, and the Bokhara was put at full speed ahead with the helm hard a-starboard. Even by this means she would come up only within three points of the wind, and then fall off again, though repeated efforts were made to get her round with tarpaulins and sails in the mizzen rigging to assist. On being unfurled the other sails were blown to tatters. All attempts to wear proved futile, the sea and wind being too heavy. All that experienced seamanship could suggest having failed there was nothing for it but to wait hopefully for an abatement of the storm. Two hours later the wind was blowing with hurricane force, and the vessel labored so heavily that the starboard life-boat got adrift from the davits and was so badly damaged that it had to be cut away to prevent harm to the ship's side. The smoke room was smashed by a green sea which dashed across the quarter deck and also lifted the jolly boat on board with great force and carried away the lee gangways and other gear. At noon on Monday the ship was drifting in a southwesterly direction, her head being S. 50 E., and beam on to the sea, Captain Sams putting her slow astern when opportunity offered. The position of the vessel was one of extreme peril, a fact realized by all the seamen on board, who must have felt keenly their utter inability to do more to avert disaster by making her less at the mercy of the tempestuous sea.

A foretaste of what was to follow and of how the end was to come was experienced when the ship gave a heavy roll to starboard and shipped a sea which carried away all the remaining boats and davits and breaking in the engine-room skylight, which was immediately refastened and battened down. Oil was then poured down the weather latrines aft and forward. This had the effect of preventing the seas from breaking on board the ship with so much frequency. About 2 o'clock in the afternoon the vessel took a gigantic roll to windward, when the sea lifted the port lifeboat out of the davits and staved it in. The wreckage, however, was carried clear of the ship. At the same time the second cutter became unhooked, and although it had been damaged to such an extent as to make it practically useless it was resecured. The only boat now left in the davits was the after port cutter. Two hours later the barometer reached its lowest reading, 29.15. Although the wind continued to blow with terrific force, comparatively little water was coming on board from this time up till 8 o'clock. At the hour mentioned a conference between the captain and the chief officer took place. The conclusion they came to was that, allowing the drift to be four miles an hour, the Pescadores was about E.N.E. and that the ship, judging by the steadiness of the glass (the barometer having stood at 29.15 for over four hours) would drift out of the storm by Tuesday morning. Captain Sams and Mr. Jones Parry, the third officer, relieved the Chief Officer at this time, the Captain telling the latter that he would send for him if required. This proved in reality to be the beginning of the end. Hour by hour the ship's position became more perilous and her doom more certain. At ten o'clock three tremendous seas broke over her, smashing the after skylights, the stokehole door and the wheelhouse and putting out the fires. The heat and steam made it impossible for the engineers to remain in the engine-room or stokehole.

The ship was then entirely helpless and at the mercy of the storm. It is stated by the survivors that the reason why she shipped these terrific and fatal seas was that the stewards had neglected to keep the oil flowing into the latrines. The chief engineer reported to the captain that it would be some considerable time before he could get rid of the water that was below so as to make preparations for getting up steam again. At half past eleven the soundings averaged thirty fathoms. Just at that time, the third officer called the attention of Capt. Sams to a dark mass on the lee beam, of ominous aspect. Once more the lead was cast and the report was ten fathoms. Now, through the drifting spray the loom of the land could be seen distinctly. When Mr. Prickett, the chief officer, came on the bridge at this time he could plainly make out a cruel looking reef not more than twenty yards distant, towards which the helpless and now certainly doomed steamer was surely drifting. A glance was enough to reveal the awful and inevitable catastrophe that was approaching and was even now at hand. Turning to his officers Capt. Sams bade them a sad farewell, and went below to tell the passengeas that they must prepare for the worst as there was no hope of saving the ship. His last words to his officers were "Good-bye! we have done our best to save this ship, and there's nothing more that can be done." He shook hands with everyone on the bridge, the chief and third officers, the lookout man and the helmsman, and went below. He was never seen again by anyone now living.

In less than a minute the storm-tossed Bokhara, helpless as a log on that terrible sea, had struck the reef, grinding her broadside on the rocks along her whole length. She heeled over to port and again struck the reef with fearful force and as she began to settle down it was evident that the whole starboard side had been crushed in. The seas in the meantime were breaking clean over all, washing off every one who had come on deck. The reef extended for about 250 yards from the main part of Sand Island. All who were saved were on deck at the time the ship struck and they were lifted by the gigantic breakers and cast upon the reef.

The survivors remained on Sand Island till Wednesday, subsisting on the stores cast up, chiefly on biscuit. They, of course, were without clothes other than those which they were wearing when washed ashore. On Wednesday some small junks called at the place and took them to the Island of Peigon, where they remained till Thursday under the care of a priest who did his best in the way of supplying them with food and clothing. The Mandarin, at Makung (which is the port for the Island of Peigon), having heard of their arrival, sent for them, and, under his hospitable roof, they were treated with the utmost kindness.

To Elect a Bishop.

The synod of Columbia meets in the Synod office, Broad street, on Tuesday for the election of a successor to Bishop Hills. Many clergymen have been spoken of as possible candidates for the position.

Change of Date.

The dance at the Harmony Hall to have been held Wednesday evening has been changed to Thursday night next.

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CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire from all Parts of the Dominion.

Aaron Kilpatrick, an aged Winnipeg man who was struck by an electric car, died from his injuries.

James Morrison, a traveller for the Hinton Soap works at Guelph, has been arrested for embezzlement.

Judge Malhiot has rendered a decision declaring the Quebec tax of one and a half per cent. on sales of mining properties illegal.

The Canadian Pacific traffic earnings for the week ending November 14th were $498,000. For the same week last year they were $480,000.

The Stratford Conservatives have arranged to banquet Hon. T. M. Daly early in December, when Sir John Thompson and other party chiefs will be present.

The French Government require that all Canadian pork destined for France be accompanied by a certificate of its origin issued by the French consular authorities in the Dominion.

The Literary and Historic Society, of Quebec, respectfully decline to allow their model of the first ocean steamship Royal William to be exhibited at the World's Fair, but will allow a facsimile to be made.

Salt was struck at Windsor at a depth of 1,200 feet, the drill passing through 30 feet of solid salt, and brine of exceedingly strong quality was raised. The industry is to be pushed on a gigantic scale.

The Empire's Montreal correspondent says he understands an agreement has been entered into by which half of the Dominion's account will be handled by the Bank of Montreal, through its agent a London.

In the Admiralty Court at Halifax, the case of Jund vs. the Spanish ship Santo Anderino, was begun. The action if for $80,000 damages sustained in a collision between the ships in Sydney harbor on July 3, last.

An unknown man entered the office of the Intercolonial Railway at Riviere du Loup while the agent was counting his cash, and knocking him senseless by a blow of his fist, walked off with $1600. There is no trace of the robber.

Charlie Wah Hung, a prominent Chinese merchant of Boston, is in Montreal for the purpose of making arrangements with the C.P.R. The prospects for trade between Canada and China, Wah Hung says, are growing brighter year by year.

A flaw in the crank pin of the new Blake engine at the power house of the Toronto waterworks caused a disastrous wreck, the 600 pound cylinder head of the engine being blown through the building by a force of 6000 pounds. Three men miraculously escaped with their lives.

Rev. Sidney Welton, C. B. Welton and Dr. Randell, charged at St. John, N.B., with conspiracy to defraud the Total Abstinence Life Insurance Association and the Mutual Fund, were admitted to bail in the sum of $5000 in each case, divided in $1000 among five bondsmen.

The body found at Niagara Falls on November 10 turns out to be that of Wm. Nobbel, brother-in-law of Edward Marshall, of Petrolia. Nobbel has been working at Pittstown, and was on his way to Petrolia to visit Marshall prior to going abroad to join his family. Nobbel was undoubtedly murdered.

A discovery of gold has been made at the Caribou mines, Nova Scotia, worked by the Truro Gold Mining Co., about 30 miles from Truro, which surpasses all previous discoveries in Nova Scotia and is expected to turn out the biggest and richest gold mine ever opened in Canada. It is not a pocket or nugget mine, as the strike gradually increases in richness and thickness and shows every indication of continuing to a great depth.

Forged and Swindled

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 18.—William Scanlon, aged 19, five years a messenger for Lee, Higginson & Co., bankers, is under arrest, charged with stealing $20,000 in sugar certificates from the firm, and after securing certificates which were not negotiable, Scanlon, it is alleged, forged an order in the firm's name on the Boston bank to deliver to bearer certain shares of Atchison stock placed as collateral in exchange for sugar certificates. The whole transaction was brought to light by Scanlon's attempt to dispose of the Atchison securities through a well known broking firm. He claimed he was acting for a man named Clarke, and received for one block of stock $3,900. A day or two later the brokers received by express securities of the par value of $25,000, with a request that the proceeds be sent to C. C. Clarke at Natick by cheque. The brokers saw something suspicious in the manner of the proceeding and investigation proved that Mr. Clarke could not be found and Scanlon was arrested. He said he had two savings bank books, one for $500, the other for $900, besides bank notes enough to make the total found on him amount to $3700. He also alleged that he had a share in the stock at par value of $5000 on his person, which he had not disposed of. The certificates were for the Atchison and Topeka. Scanlon is held in $3000 bail for the grand jury.

Short Skirts.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Over ten thousand young women have signed an agreement to adopt a short skirt for walking in muddy or snowy weather during the present winter. At a conference of representatives of these dress reformers it was decided after considerable debate that the skirt should be at least five inches off the ground, or reaching only to the top of the shoes.

A Fashionable Drink.

Menier Chocolate is a fashionable drink. Did you ever try it? Send postal card for samples and directions to C. Alfred Chouillou, Montreal.

A few sample lines of fine Swiss curtains at a bargain at Weiler Bros. *

Drink Victoria Lager.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A Candidate for the Gallows.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—P. J. Sullivan, who brutally murdered his mistress yesterday, was in police court this morning to answer to the charge of murder. His case was continued to the 26th inst., as the inquest will not be held until Tuesday. The murderer is indifferent as to his fate. He said this morning that he had no use for lawyers. "I guess I'll let things go as they are," he said," they can do as they please with me."

THE KOOTENAY COUNTRY.

Winter Work in the Slocan District—General Mining News.

From the Nelson Miner.]

It is more than probable that Watson will, before long, have a postoffice.

The plant for the Nelson Tribune has arrived and is being got into working order.

An Indian shot a grizzly bear some four miles down the railway track on Thursday.

Hugh Mann is calling for 50 men, at wages of $3 to $3.50 per day, to work on the Nakusp road.

John F. Piggott means to have a stage running between Kaslo and Bear Lake within a week or two.

The Toad Mountain mining company will put two shifts to work on the Goldendale within two weeks.

The Great Western will also be working all winter, and it is probable that in January a much larger force will be put on.

The owners of the Washington have packed in several tons of supplies, and intend to work 25 men on their property all winter.

Messrs. Jowett and Chadbourne have had to abandon all idea of doing any development work on the Reid and Robinson group of claims until next spring.

T. C. Collins has just returned from a trip into the Slocan country, where he located a claim called the Southern Beauty, on a showing he discovered while prospecting there this summer.

The owners of the Ainsworth have decided to lower the wheel and to narrow the buckets by 18 inches, with a view to increasing the number of revolutions and giving more life to the engines.

George Hughes has contracted with Jim Wardner to bring down from the Freddie Lee some unknown quantity (not less than 1000 tons) of ore. He proposes to do so by means of sleighs, drawn by a single mule.

The Blue Bird, Washington, Freddie Lee, Dardanelles, Dublin Maid, Wellington, Best, Noble Five and Idaho mines will ship ore this winter, whilst the Great Western, Porcupine, Lucky Jim, Whitewater, Reko, Slocan Star, Payne and Montezuma will be worked during the winter months.

An attempt is being made to equip the Nelson by means of sheathing her with iron plates to break any ice that may be in the outlet, and thus keep the route to Kaslo open. A strong effort should be made to get the railway company to keep their road open all winter whether the Lower Columbia is open or not. The advantages to the Lake country would be numerous. It would cut off 28 miles of the worst part of the trail between ourselves and the outer world. It would also be of immense service in keeping up communication with Slocan Lake and New Denver.

For the combined offences of making a gun play in Carney & Barrett's store, assaulting Mr. Barrett with a knife and stabbing the Kaslo night watchman in the thigh, Jack Beaudoin has received a sentence of six weeks hard labor. It appears there was no information laid or evidence brought forward to justify more than a conviction for common assault. We have always understood that in such cases it was the crown's business to institute and prepare the case. It is, of course, a good thing to see justice tempered with mercy. But when we see justice alloyed with carelessness, and discharging her functions in a haphazard go-as-you-please manner, we are apt to think that the safety of citizens is not quite so secure as it might be and the guarantee of good order rather weak.

There are 17 mines going to be worked in the Slocan district all winter. Suppose those mines employ six men each on an average, this means 102 men at work, and a payroll behind Kaslo of over $10,000 per month. This estimate is, from the nature of things, rough, but is certainly not overstated. Several deductions may be made from it which will help to being the wealth of the Slocan before outsiders. Suppose the camp remains stationary for six months, or 150 working days, and that each man is responsible for half a ton of ore averaging net profit of $100 per ton, that represents 7650 tons of ore; say that shipping expenses and net profit come together to $175, the result would be $1,338,850 for the six months' work, of which $765,000 would represent the profit to the mine-owners. Or take another way of looking at it. Let us say 17 mines include all the good properties in the Slocan. If, while doing development work and employing six men each on an average, they are capable of producing $1,500,000 in six months what will be their output when fully opened up and employing from 20 to 60 or 100 men apiece? Having worked out this little sum in proportion, let the outsider consider what part of the available wealth of the Slocan is represented by 17 claims, and then let him figure the whole thing out on the same basis, and he will have some conception of the future which every inhabitant sees sticking out big before this country.

W. N. Rolfe and R. Cavill have returned from their trip to Fort Steele. Going in by the Moyie trail, they came back by Goat river. On the former trail travelling is easy, but the latter not having been much used of late, is in a far worse condition, fallen timber rendering progress slow and difficult. East Kootenay is confidently expecting a rush to Wild Horse creek and vicinity next year, and, from all accounts, recent discoveries and developments justify them in believing that more interest will be taken in this country than has for the past twenty or thirty years been the case. We understand that a syndicate has bought from Dave Griffiths his placer claim on Wild Horse creek for $100,000, and intend to start taking out the gold as soon as the weather will permit. That they will be successful in their operations may be inferred from the fact that five Chinamen, working close to their claim, in four months cleaned up $2,000 each. A strike of galena has recently been made, the discoverer claiming (and his claims seems to be borne out by expert evidence) to have 22 feet solid ore, running 40 oz. silver to the ton, and 60 per cent. lead. The total width of the lead is 33 feet, and the true walls have not yet been found. The ore is a fine grain galena, and the formation is gritty limestone. Woods brothers of Winnipeg have bonded this claim for $40,000 and are now sinking a shaft in the carbonates alongside the ore. The mine is in a most favorable position, looked at from a working point of view, as it is estimated that it would cost about $500 to build a wagon road from the mine to a shipping point on the Kootenay River. Eighteen prospectors have been in the district during the past summer, and every one of them has made a location and intends to return next year.

Black Bart in Mexico.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—A gentleman who recently arrived in this city, and who knew Charles Bolton, or as he is better known, "Black Bart," the noted stage robber, states that while on a visit to the town of Durango, Mexico, he met and conversed with "Black Bart." Bolton is quite prosperous. In addition to the saloon and the fandango house which he runs in Durango, Bart is interested with Jimmy Hope, the notorious despoiler of the Manhattan Bank, New York, in an extensive cattle range near Durango, from which both derive a lucrative living. The gentleman from Mexico further states that Bolton gave an insight into the mode and manner of his capture while in San Francisco. It was reported at the time that certain marks on "Black Bart's" linen, found at the laundry, led to his discovery. Bolton says a woman betrayed him, and that she received over $30,000 for "turning him up." Whether this be true or not, the female in question, who was poor at the time of Bolton's arrest, now owns two magnificent saloons in this city, and also derives a good income for a large and fashionable lodging house of which she is proprietress. Those who know the woman state that there is evidently some truth in Bolton's assertion, as the ex-stage robber and the woman were intimate.

Roman Catholic Education.

JERSEY CITY, Nov. 18.—Father Corrigan, of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Hoboken, this evening denied that he had been suspended by Bishop Wigger. He said there was no probability that he would be suspended. He had no quarrel with the bishop, nor the bishop with him. All the trouble that existed was made by the German priests of Newark. If they had dragged the bishop's name into the muddle that was their fault. As to the public schools of the United States he, as well as all Catholic authorities, consider them the best schools in the country. What the Catholics wanted parochial schools for was to inject early religious training into Catholic children. After they had acquired that there was no objection to their attending the public schools. Father Corrigan was particularly severe upon the priests who invited Archbishop Corrigan to speak at their conference and then adopted resolutions exactly opposed to the archbishop's expressed views.

Crooked Election Work.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Dr. C. C. O'Donnell, Independent candidate for mayor in the recent election, stated this morning that he had discovered a large number of ballots which had been stamped for him, voted, and then thrown out. The names of the election officers in each of the precincts in which ballots had been voted will be obtained at the registrar's office, and warrants will be sworn out for their arrest.

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Before long Armstrong is going to have a town hall. A joint stock company is being formed to put up a hall 20x50 feet, and the stock is nearly all subscribed. The capital stock is $1000, divided into 100 shares of $10 each. A proposition has already been made the company by the Armstrong Athletic Club to use it as an amusement and reading room, and when completed it will be used for any purpose which may be required of it.

So far the new municipality of Armstrong is getting along well with its work. Some disappointment was felt by the council at the refusal of the Government to maintain trunk roads as they formerly did. The plan adopted by the council of having work done by tender will apparently secure considerably more work for the money than that got by the government on day work. Some of the work already let has been taken at low rates and the people of Spallumcheen have no reason to regret their decision to adopt municipal government.

It has been noticed that not less than twenty loads of hay pass through the town of White Valley every week going to Vernon. A load will average a ton and a half, making at least 30 tons a week from this locality alone. We have no idea of how much is hauled from other points, but all considered, the farmers may be congratulated on the fact of having a sure market for their products. Hay at $16 per ton delivered is not bad at all. All this hay is raised on the meadows to be met with at intervals through the valley, timothy forming the greater portion and all without irrigation. Irrigation ditches are unknown in this part and the average crops of all kinds are not to be beaten elsewhere in the Okanagan valley, even if the prizes for certain roots and cereals were captured by Mission people or elsewhere.

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Many of our best physicians fear another visit of that deadly scourge "la grippe" during the coming winter. Even now as we write the disease is felt in some districts of Canada. It has not yet become epidemic; it is with us only in sporadic form; but soon it may burst out with terrible violence. In the United States some districts are already suffering severely owing to its ravages, and numerous deaths are reported amongst old and young.

The disease is still a very mysterious one; and few medical men are agreed concerning its various modes of attack, or its treatment.

The majority of our ablest physicians are of opinion that the greatest impressions and worst effects of "la grippe" are made on the nervous system.

It cannot be denied that the dread disease carries with it a poison which seriously affects the whole system. Indeed, this poison is certain death to the weak and debilitated human being, old or young.

Medical authorities are also united in the belief that the disease is contagious, and is carried from person to person, and not by the atmosphere. It is well-known that the disease spreads rapidly to the various members of the households into which it is introduced. It accords with the theory of infection, also, that the disease has usually attacked the persons liable to infection. The celebrated Dr. Richard Sisley in his new book on "Epidemic Infection," very strongly expresses the view that "la grippe" is a disease almost entirely propagated by infection.

It certainly behooves Canadians to make preparations for repelling a general invasion by this calamitous disease. Much can be done to ward off the monster and escape its subtile venom. The principal point for rigid observance is to have the constitution in perfect condition. The great nervous system should be strong and well braced up. Every trace of nervousness, sleeplessness, dyspepsia, indigestion and rheumatism should be banished before the next visit of "la grippe" to our homes.

We are all aware of the terrible devastation and ruin made two and three years ago by this Proteus of diseases. Happy homes were robbed of near and dear ones, and thousands who recovered were left with poisonous drugs which induced other fatal troubles.

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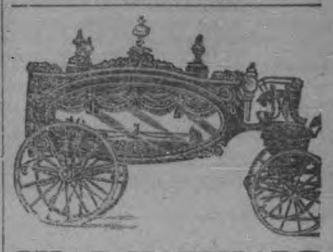

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Victoria, November 12, 1892.

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IMMIGRATION.

The immigration department having been placed in charge of the Minister of the Interior, and a new and supposedly improved Minister of the Interior having been appointed, sundry of our esteemed Conservative contemporaries have been moved to express the hope that immigration matters will henceforth be more efficiently managed. This expression of hope is not exactly complimentary to the Minister of Agriculture, nor to the former Minister of the Interior. Further than this, since it is a tacit admission that the country has not been blessed with immigration to the proper degree, it is decidedly uncomplimentary to the Dominion Government itself. Whether the Government will mend its ways in any respect as a result of this prodding by its candid friends it would be hard to say. We are none too sanguine about the matter. Nor can we build up any such castle of hope as some of our contemporaries do on the advent of the new Minister of the Interior. Mr. Daly is a very "nice fellow," but he has never given any sign of statesmanship, or any promise of being more than the mere party hack so highly esteemed as ministerial timber by the party now in power. It would be cruel to say that there is no chance of his showing any improvement over his predecessors in the management of the immigration department, for they were practically of no use at all; yet nevertheless it would be vain to expect any startling increase of population as a result of his efforts. For one thing, let his efforts be ever so intelligent and well meant, they cannot prove very effective so long as the general policy of his Government is a strong deterrent to immigration. The fiscal folly that has resulted in driving hundreds of thousands of natives and immigrants out of the country within the past ten years will be a great stumbling-block in Mr. Daly's way even if he adopts all the suggestions offered by the newspapers as to a vigorous immigration policy. Once we can stop the exodus of our own people there will be a chance of our securing all the immigrants we want. In fact, the conditions that would bring about so happy a state of affairs would render unnecessary any special effort to attract foreigners, for these would then come to us unsolicited. Therefore, instead of discussing the probable value of this or that special machinery it would be more profitable for us to mend our fiscal ways. That the elevation of Mr. Daly to the Cabinet does not mean any departure in this direction is quite certain. He is one of the unquestioning admirers of high taxation, thought he lives in a part of the country that is peculiarly handicapped by the system. Even if he were not thus hidebound, his influence would count for little in the councils of his government and his party. The Conservative leaders have told the people to expect no change in their general policy, and therefore we need expect no great improvement in immigration until they go out of office.

BRITAIN AND THE STATES.

No doubt the American people will be much edified by the remarks which the Colonist has been pleased to offer on the failure of their political system to provide that immediate effect shall be given to a change of public opinion. Last week at the polls the sovereign people declared for a change of policy, but next month the old Congress will meet to transact business, and unless the new President calls a special meeting of the new Congress in March a year will elapse before the change which the people called for can be brought about. The electors voted want of confidence in the Republican party and administration, but the administration still remains in power, with a Republican Senate at its back. "And in the meantime," says our neighbor, "laws can be made and acts of the Administration executed which are contrary to the principles and the policy which the people have at the late elections so emphatically approved." By way of contrast the Colonist asks attention to the conditions in Britain in this way:—

How different is all this from what takes place in monarchical Britain. There the people, who are often represented to the electors of the United as the down-trodden and submissive subjects of Queen Victoria, have their wishes carried into effect almost as soon as they are constitutionally expressed. A general election was held in Great Britain in July. The Government of which Lord Salisbury was Premier was defeated by a very small majority. Nevertheless, almost immediately after the result of the election was known Parliament was convened. A vote of want of confidence was carried in the House of Commons and Lord Salisbury and his colleagues resigned forthwith, and Mr. Gladstone, with a number of colleagues of his own choosing, undertook the direction of the affairs of the Empire. In deference to the wishes of the people the Government of Great Britain was changed with hardly any delay.

That is all very well so far as it goes, but our neighbor may pardon us if we call to mind one circumstance which it has apparently forgotten. The great question at issue between the British parties in the late election was home rule for Ireland. The "sovereign people" by their votes pronounced in favor of home rule, yet the defeated party declares that through its control of the House of Lords it will prevent the new Government passing a home rule measure. It is only a few days since Lord Salisbury in his National Review article announced that not only would the House of Lords reject any such bill when sent up from the Commons, but that it would not allow Mr. Gladstone to overcome its opposition by the creation of new peers. If such new peers were created, he said, the Tory majority in the House of Lords would refuse them admission. If the failure of the United States constitution to permit of immediate effect being given to the people's verdict is an anomaly, what shall we call this feature in the British constitution which results in the same way? There is no doubt about the British people having pronounced in favor of home rule; yet Lord Salisbury and his followers seem to think it quite legitimate to balk the will of the people by the exercise of the power which control of the "upper house" gives them. If the Colonist will look into this matter a little further it may find that there is not so great a contrast as it supposed.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

In discussing the results of the American elections the Montreal Star says that "as the story of the American revolution which Lafayette and his men told to the hopeless peasantry of France pointed out a new path to them, so the sight of this latter uprising will be a dramatic object-lesson to the the Canadian farmer. He will now soon tire of paying 30 cents a gallon for 12 cent coal oil, and supporting other iniquities of the tariff; and if he rises to do the work of reform with his own hands, the manufacturers and their government may not be pleased with the job. An immediate re-adjustment of the tariff in the honest interests of the farmer is the only way to prevent a repetition of Tuesday's work here. That is, it must be made needless to be avoided. The manufacturers, who now have seventy odd majority at Ottawa, will not be wise if they turn a blind-eye on the storm signal floating across the border."

A recent report by British officials gives some interesting facts in regard to the industrial situation in Greece. It is explained that the Piræus includes two-thirds of the industrial enterprise of the kingdom, and the report therefore deals chiefly with that centre. In 1891, it is stated, three iron and boiler factories, a spinning and weaving mill and a powder and dynamite factory were erected and put into operation, and new appliances for manufacturing purchased for many of the other mills. After mining, milling and textile industries are of greatest importance in Greece. The Grecian milling industry in 1891 consumed 63,000 tons of grain, as compared with 38,000 tons in 1890. The raw materials used by the spinning and weaving establishments of the Piræus in 1891 are estimated to weigh about 3,800 tons. There were 3,300 persons employed in weaving and spinning, and the output is valued at £380,000. Almost every branch of the mining industry showed an increased production in 1891 as compared with previous years. An Austrian expert has been engaged to report on the ore deposits of Greece, and he announces he has met with argentiferous minerals in such quantities, in various localities, "that he doubts," says London Industries, "whether silver exists to such an extent in any other part of the world." Perhaps the Austrian expert has not heard of Kootenay. A significant statement made in the report is that Greece shows steady industrial progress, notwithstanding the scarcity of labor and "the artificial fostering of industries."

UNION MINES.

General Satisfaction at the Recumption of Work—Engineer Butler's Death.

UNION, Nov. 18.—James Dunsmuir and W. F. Bullen, of the Albion Iron Works, arrived here on Sunday by the steamer Joan. Union was all excitement when Mr. Dunsmuir stated that the mines were going to re-open immediately. The San Mateo is expected at any time to load coal, and the mines are to be worked to their full capacity. It is a good thing for Union, as those who were out of employment for so long found it very hard to get along. Messrs. Dunsmuir and Bullen returned on Wednesday by the tug Lorne. A number came up by the Joan to work in the mines and Union is beginning to assume its old time busy appearance.

The Mascotte was at Union wharf Wednesday loading coal for a man-of-war.

Union was shocked to hear of the fatal accident which befell Engineer Butler of the Isabel. He was the guest of Rev. Mr. Nixon, of Duncan Island, and while out hunting got into a bear trap set by Indians. Mr. Nixon becoming alarmed at his not returning home that night, organized a search party when some Indians found him dead in the trap. Death is supposed to have been instantaneous. Mr. Butler was well and favorably known here and all sympathize with his wife and family. The body was taken down by the Mascotte.

It is the intention of the Union Coal Co., to build more coke ovens. The increasing demand for coke, which is pronounced as first class, makes it necessary to have more ovens.

Mr. Dick, inspector of mines, paid Union a visit this week. Everything is satisfactory in connection with the mines.

Mr. Alex. Grant has returned from Victoria.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Colfax Rebeckah Degree lodge meets Tuesday night. The Beautiful Work will be resumed. A full attendance is expected.

Columbia lodge No. 2, I.O.O.F., will confer the first and third degrees on Wednesday evening. Also second nomination of officers.

A summons meeting of Court Vancouver, A. O. F., will be held Monday evening to discuss important business.

The social dance to be given by Court Vancouver, A.O.F., on Tuesday evening is likely to be a great success.

PYTHIAN NEWS.

Far West lodge No. 1 met last night and initiated one member. The applications of two new candidates were read.

Grand Chancellor J. M. Hughes with a number of Knights will leave for Duncan's on the 28th inst. for the purpose of organizing a lodge in that thriving town.

Victoria Division No. 2, Uniform Rank, will drill at the Market building next Thursday evening.

Sir Knight Henry Dobbs, the popular drill instructor of the Victoria Division, left for Port Townsend a few days ago. He will reside permanently in that city

At the last regular meeting of Far West lodge officers were nominated for the ensuing term.

Sunset lodge, No. 10, will hold a meeting on Tuesday next.

The Uniform Rank will hold their second social on the first Wednesday in December.

YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE.

Seghers Council, No. 35, will hold a meeting on Monday evening.

A debate on the subject of Single Tax will be held shortly.

SONS OF ERIN.

At the last meeting of the above mentioned society the roll showed 87 names. A large number of applications for membership will be read at the next meeting.

The officers of the society are making arrangements to organize branches of the Society in Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo.

The Sons of Erin will hold a social during the holidays.

All Irishmen desiring to become members will leave their names at the office of Messrs. Flint & Williams, corner of Broad and Fort streets.

The next regular meeting will be held on the 14th of December.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

To-day's strong sun and wind helped dry up the mud in the streets in grand style.

Lecturer Donald Downie will give a three nights' entertainment the end of November.

The Salvation Army are conducting a house-to-house canvass for subscription to their charity fund.

The resumption of car service on the old schedule to-day was hailed with pleasure by the patrons of the system.

Miss M. Williams, holder of share 30 A and B, won $2000 at the Vancouver Island Building Society drawing last night.

Peter Irvine, aged 47, was buried yesterday afternoon from the Jubilee Hospital. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. P. McF. Macleod.

Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie's evidence before the Royal Commission to enquire into the liquor traffice meets with no approval among the temperance and total abstainer believers.

The Columbia & Kootenay Railway will apply to Parliament next session for an act authorizing it to construct a railway between its present line and Revelstoke, together with a branch or branches not exceeding 30 miles in length, as authorized by the Governor-in-Council.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.
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WHITE HANDS TELL TALES

And Cause the Arrest of Florian Wandeck, Hailing From San Francisco.

Preliminary Extradition Proceedings In the Supreme Court This Afternoon.

Extradition proceedings were begun in the supreme court this morning against Florian L. Wandeck, alias Wolffe, charged with embezzlement from Khan & Co., of San Francisco. Wandeck sat by the side of E. V. Bodwell, his lawyer. He is a short, stout built man, attired in a black coat and pantaloons with fancy vest. His linen was spotless white, and a pair of gold-rimmed pebble glasses gave him a distingue appearance.

Lawyer Mills, who appeared for Khan & Co., asked for an adjournment till Friday. Witnesses were en route from San Francisco.

Lawyer Bodwell agreed to the continuance of the case, but asked that Wandeck be committed to the city lock-up, instead of the provincial jail, and that he be allowed to purchase his own food. Justice Crease granted the request for incarceration in the city lock-up, but said that the question of diet would have to be governed by the rules of the city lock-up.

Wandeck, questioned by the TIMES man, refused to tell how he got over to the Mainland. He denied that he owed any money in Victoria, and stated that his defalcations were only small. He hinted that he had something to put in evidence that would change matters considerably.

When Sergt. Walker arrested Wandeck, he was clothed in an old suit of greasy overalls, a shabby-looking coat and a hat with holes in the crown. He wore a pair of lumberman's leather boots and carried a dingy-looking satchel. He was dirty and looked exactly like a tramp. The disguise was almost perfect. Wandeck had a dark moustache, and this he shaved, allowing his beard to grow choppy. But he forgot to get a new pair of hands. These soft, white and delicately-tapered members stood out in vivid contrast to his general "get up." His hands "gave him away." Wandeck at first denied that he was the man. When his valise was examined and found to contain valuable diamond rings, scarf pins and brooches, he confessed his identity.

Two hundred dollars was also found in bills on his person, and a ticket from Westminster to Montreal.

It is believed that Wandeck never was in Westminster but that he reached Westminster junction by way of Port Moody and that the ticket was purchased by a friend. The ticket bears the name of Geo. Harris.

Chief Sheppard received a despatch this forenoon stating that Detective Anthony, of San Francisco, had left for Victoria. As Detective Anthony is not likely to have sufficient evidence to extradite, a further continuation of the case will probably be taken. Lawyer Mills has a second warrant against Wandeck. The amount is $300. This warrant will not be executed. It will be held back for fear Wandeck escapes the law on some technicality of the first warrant. Other warrants may be issued against Wandeck in a few days.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The collier San Mateo left for Departure Bay this afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The steamship Topeka leaves Seattle for Alaska on the morning of the 23rd. She will not call here.

The steamer North Pacific will be in to-night in place of the City of Kingston. She will probably not be here until quite late this evening.

Captain J. G. Cox has a gang of riggers at work on the sealing schooner E. B. Marvin stripping her preparatory to giving her a new suit of tackle, rigging and sails. He says people will not know the schooner when the work is completed.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province.

C. N. Gowen is back from the Mainland.

D. J. Munn, New Westminster, is at the Driard.

D. R. Young returned from Vancouver last night.

T. R. Smith returned from Vancouver last evening.

Louis Vigelius and Mrs. Vigelius left for San Francisco this morning.

Ferrers Knyvett, in advance of the Duff Opera Company, is in the city.

E. B. Marvin and Capt. Collister went over to Vancouver this morning.

B. Hal Brown, general manager of the London and Lancashire Life, Montreal, is in the city.

Mrs. A. G. McCandless and children, Miss L. Gilmour and Miss A. Heathorn left for California this morning.

For Several Months.

From seven in the morning till closing time every day in the week, Lange & Co., have been selling their splendid stock of jewelry, etc., away below auction prices, and those who purchase from them are not obliged to compete with others for bargains, and can take their own time selecting what they want. All goods purchased guaranteed. No one will regret buying from them. LANGE & Co., 93 Government street. *

Lady's Pictorial.

Hibben & Co., have favored the TIMES with a copy of the Lady's Pictorial Christmas number. Accompanying the magazine is a beautiful colored engraving, "The Queen of Flowers."

Do you want any jewelry, silverware or clocks? If so call on Kingham & Minor, at 49 Government street. They are making big reductions in in their stock.

The Royal Commission on epidemic diseases will meet in Victoria Tuesday.

Drink California Wine. Cal. Wine Co. Nos 55 and 57 Broad St.

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Use "Highland Brand" evaporated cream. *

The purest Wines in the City at the Cal. Wine Co.'s Store Nos. 55 and 57 Broad St.

Changes of Advertisements.

It is necessary that copy for changes of advertisements (to be sure of insertion) should be handed in on the day previous to that on which their appearance is desired.

Renewing Enquiries.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cartwright, of Sooke, are renewing enquiries for their 10-year-old boy, who, it was supposed, was drowned in August last. They now think that he was kidnapped by an American smuggling sloop.

Matched to Plough.

W. Snider and Alex. Rose, who have been matched to plough for $150 a side on the 26th inst., went out into the district to-day to select a piece of ground. Each has put up a forfeit of $50, the balance to be put up on the 23rd inst.

Notice.

Our manufacturing and repairing departments will be in full operation during the term of our auction sale the same as usual. Remember we are not going out of business, but have to raise an amount of money by January 1st. All work guaranteed. Jackson & Mylius. *

Battling for a Sinecure.

There is a big fight in progress over on the Sound already, as to who will succeed Collector Andrew Wasson. It is thought that Harry Tibbals, jr., of Port Townsend, will be given the place by Mr. Cleveland. There are 20 other aspirants for the office. It is one of the best things to be given out on this coast.

The Managers' Turn Now.

The late managers of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will this evening be presented with an address signed by 100 members of the congregation. The address will thank them for their services and approve of their actions while managers of the church. This action is considered as pointing very directly at Rev. P. McF. Macleod, the pastor.

Will Be Missed.

Mr. Fred. W. Grant, who came to Victoria last spring for the Victoria Lacrosse Club, left for San Francisco this morning. During his stay here Fred made many friends who will be pleased to welcome him back next spring. He is one of the first lacrosse players in Canada, and although he did not play with Victoria during the past season, he expectes to take part in next year's games, if he returns.

A Fall From Grace.

Last night the streets which sport earth sidewalks, Birdcage Walk and so forth, had many interesting spots for the study of the fleeting pedestrian. A man who was going to a party put his patent leather boot and some six inches of his superfine, shiny, broadcloth unmentionables into one of those small sloughs. He had not philosophy enough to suppress the adjective that floated out in the pouring rain headed by a great big D.

For the South.

The steamer City of Puebla sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following cabin passengers from this port:—Sister Mede C. Ange Garden, Sister M. Beatrice, F. W. Grant, A. Swinton, Miss L. Stove, Simeon Leather and wife, Jas. Hickey, D. McCarthur, L Vigelius and wife, Miss L. Gilmour, Mrs. A. G. McCandless and children, Miss A. Heathorn, Mrs. E. Moulton, James Smethurst and T. Harper.

In Chambers.

(Before Hon. Mr. Justice Crease.)

Earle vs. Vancouver Sealing and Trading Company, limited. Application of plaintiff to sign final judgment. Abandoned.

Irving vs. Stamford. Application of plaintiff to sign final judgment. Granted.

Irving vs. Mallette. Application of plaintiff to sign final judgment. Granted.

R. P. Rithet & Co. vs. Whitelaw and the Pacific Improvement Company. Application of plaintiff to examine Whitelaw. Granted, and Mr. Seabrook to be examined as plaintiff.

Prevost et. al. vs. McNeill et. al. Application on the part of R. Williams for leave to pay into court $1116.67, balance of purchase money for lots 6 and 7, in subdivision A.

And also a similar application on the part of J. D. Pemberton to pay $1067 into court for lots 3 and 4 of said subdivision. Both applications granted, costs of applications to be taxed and paid by the purchaser.

The Kaslo-Slocan Railway.

The headquarters of the Kaslo-Slocan Railway have just been removed from Victoria to this city, the charter being now held by three of our prominent citizens, namely, Messrs. John Hendry, Alex. Ewen and D. J. Munn. Mr. Munn, acting secretary for the company, told a reporter to-day that the building of the road would proceed in the spring. Preliminary surveys were made last fall by Mr. J. Keen, C.E., and encouraged in finding a route of comparatively easy gradients, the company now have Mr. A. J. McMillan, with a party of men, locating the line from the junction of Cody Creek with Carpenter Creek to Kaslo city. The survey will be completed some time in December. The line will be about 28 miles long, and Mr. Munn remarked that it was the only gateway through which the ore of the wonderful Slocan mines can pass. The projectors were confident of the road being a most successful undertaking, owing to the great development of the Slocan country, and intend going right ahead with the work. The present company intend to keep control of the charter themselves, so as to ensure competition in rates, and by enabling the miner to get as much out of his ore as possible, assist materially the development of the Slocan-Kaslo country.—Columbian.

Jewellery, clocks and silverware are being offered for sale at a big discount by Kingham & Minor of 49 Government street.

Findley & Des Brisay's Electric soap takes the lead. *

California Wines lead all others for purity, Cal. Wine Co., Nos. 55 and 57 Broad St.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

THE "BIRD" HAS FLOWN

And the Bankburn's Unpaid Crew Cannot Catch It.

The Bankburn sailors have a slim chance of getting their money and they think some one is to blame.

Robert Simpson, one of the crew, went over to Port Townsend some days ago and personally libelled the vessel for $120 wages due him. Simpson made affidavit in Port Townsend; he is the only man who will get his money. The remainder of the Bankburn's crew stayed over in Victoria and made affidavits here which were duly forwarded. But they are said not to have reached Mr. Klotcher, the British consul, in time for him to detain the Bankburn. Capt. Davies, of the Bankburn, lifted Simpson's libel by depositing a $300 bond. And the bark sailed for Australia with a cargo of lumber. In the absence of the judge, a lady clerk is said to have acted in ignorance, and to have executed the necessary release papers. Capt. Davies had not discharged his men, and he violated the law in sailing. It is said that heavy damages can be recovered, but the crew of the Bankburn are down-hearted. The "bird" has flown, and the crew are penniless and cannot pursue him. The men are stranded in Victoria. They will try to ship on another bark. And it is very probable that they will not be burdened by the wages due them for work on the Bankburn.

FLAT IRON ARGUMENTS.

Henry Paxton's Evil Tongue Gets Him Into Trouble.

Jimmy, a West Coast Indian, pleaded guilty in the police court to being drunk. Jimmy said the whiskey was supplied by a white man. Fined $5. The court directed Jimmy to go with a constable and find the prefidious pale face.

Joseph Quadros was charged with assaulting Henry Paxton. Paxton sat in the court. A large piece of wadding, matted with blood, was wrapped round his head. Paxton told his story. Quadros and Paxton had shares in a scow. They fought last night at the residence of Quadros, James Bay, over the division of the money. Quadros' wife accused Paxton of trying to cheat her husband. He called her a liar. Quadros retorted by striking Paxton a blow on the head with a flat iron. The marks on Paxton's head were caused by the blow. Quadros admitted the assault, but claimed justification in the fact that Paxton had called Mrs. Quadros a liar. The case was remanded till Monday.

Samuel Lewis and Dave Ross were up on remand, charged with fighting on Store street. Lewis was dismissed. Ross was convicted and fined $5.

SATISFACTORY AND COMPLETE.

Sanitary Inspector Mohun so Speaks of the Sewers.

Sanitary Engineer Mohun was asked to express an opinion of the working of the sewers. Mr. Mohun replied:

"It is not for me to talk about the matter. Of course I was at the inspection yesterday. My greatest expectations are exceeded. I think that the sewers are all right in every particular. The sewage commissioners and the aldermen are the persons who might express opinions."

"There is a rumor afloat that the pipes laid through the quicksand will sink."

"The rumor must be manufactured, as there is no quicksand in which they can sink. There is a fine running sand in one place. But that sand thoroughly compressed makes a finer bed than ordinary soil. No sinking will take place."

"Have you heard remarks that the acid in the sewage will affect the cement?"

"Nonsense! If the sewage were pure then there might be the glimmer of truth in the statement. But the acid is so diluted with water; it never can affect the cement. I regard the whole system as satisfactory and complete. Two lengths of 24 feet pipe to form a further extension of the outlet into the straits to be laid as soon as the tide will permit. The only drawback is the slight settlement in the sewer at the corner of View and Vancouver streets. With yesterday's fall of water the settlement formed no obstruction. And I do not think that it will cause trouble. But if it should, it can be easily remedied."

THE DUFF OPERA CO.

Coming Here in Their Brilliant Repertoire—A Splendid Company.

On Nov. 28th and 29th "A Trip to Africa," "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "Trial by Jury" will be produced. "Cavalleria Rusticana" may be a somewhat ambitious undertaking for a light opera organization, but it is stated that Mr. Duff has singers in his organization who are fully equal to the demands which may be made upon them by Mascagni's sensational melodramatic masterpiece. The artists who will appear in "Cavalleria Rusticana" are Miss Helen Bertram, prima donna; Miss Villa Knox, soprano; Miss Helen von Doenhoff, contralto; Mr. William Hamilton, basso, and Mr. Charles Basett, tenor. In "Trial by Jury," Mr. J. H. Ryley, the well known comedian, will appear in his original part, the Judge. The other leading members of the company are Miss Minnie De Rue, Miss Drew Donaldson, Mr. John J. Raffael, Mr. William Schuster, Mr. King Morgan, Mr. M. Abbey, Mr. Joseph C. Fay and Mr. J. B. Dupuis. Mr. Charles Basett was the original Turiddu in the production of "Rusticana." One of the special features of Mr. Duff's company has always been the work of the chorus, and this season it is especially strong. The orchestrations of these operas will be done full justice to by an orchestra of fifteen musicians. Miss Helen Bertram, prima donna, has been out here before, but in the last three years has made rapid strides in her profession. She was suddenly called upon to fill Marion Manola's position with the McCaull opera company in New York city, and filled it so well that she retained it that season. From there she joined Mr. Duff's company and has for the past two seasons done excellent work and made rapid progress in her art. Another lady who will probably find favor here is Miss Villa Knox, who is also a New York Casino favorite. She is said to have a well-trained voice and is a pretty woman and a clever actress. Miss Minnie Re Due and Miss Drew Donaldson appear also in leading roles.

Arrived.

A fine stock of razors, straps and shaving materials, at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Where, When and by Whom Divine Worship Will be Held To-morrow.

Esquimalt Methodist, 10:30 a.m., Rev. J. Calvert.

Calvary Baptist church. Services, 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Rev. J. E. Coombes.

Victoria West Presbyterian. Services, 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Rev. Mr. Macrae.

St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral. Services 8 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian. Services, 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Rev. P. McF. Macleod.

First Presbyterian church. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. Dr. Campbell.

Emmanuel Baptist—Rev. P. H. McEwen, the pastor, will preach morning and evening.

Victoria West Methodist. Services 11 a. m., 7 p. m. Morning, Mr. G. H. Morden; evening, Rev. J. H. White.

Rev. S. R. Tollefson, pastor of the Scandinavian Lutheran Church, will preach at the Y. M. C. A. hall to-morrow, at 11 a.m. and 7 a.m.

Centennial Methodist church, Gorge road. Rev. J. H. White, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock, by the pastor. Evening service, 7 o'clock, Rev. T. W. Glover, Toronto.

James Bay Methodist Church, Rev. S. Wilkinson pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m. The Rev. T. W. Glover of Toronto will preach the morning sermon. Sabbath school at 2:30.

Church of Our Lord, Reformed Episcopal. Anniversary sermons and collections. Morning, Rev. Dr. Campbell of the First Presbyterian church. Evening, Rev. Dr. Reid of St. Paul's R.E. church New Westminster.

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SHOULD HOLD ENQUIRIES.

Insurance Men Object to Suspicious Fires Being Passed Over Unnoticed.

Chief Engineer Deasy Gives His Opinion as to What Should be Done.

The fire insurance men, especially those who have got money invested in the business, have had frequent discussions lately on the way in which "suspicious" fires have been allowed to go by unnoticed. During the past month there have been two fires, classed "suspicious" by the insurance men. The most suspicious one was that which occurred in the house of a man named Jones on Frederick street. Coal oil was found all over the place and the fire was smouldering in different parts of the house.

So far there has been no move towards holding an enquiry. The city officials say they have nothing to do with it, and cannot hold an enquiry until requested to do so by the insurance agents who are interested. The insurance agents say they do not care about holding an enquiry because they have to pay the expenses, and they think the $300 a year that they pay as a license is a sufficient tax.

Several insurance men were seen today by a TIMES reporter. They all thought that the city should hold an inquiry into "suspicious" fires. One gentleman said: "It is not to be expected that the agents will hold an inquiry, because they are afraid that it will hurt their business. They think the people will say, 'Well, that man makes a fuss over every little fire and if we have a fire we will have trouble getting our insurance.' The agent, therefore, does not wish to figure in an inquiry."

It is well known among insurance men that an English agent sent to Victoria to establish an agency has written home telling of what he called "a loose way of running business." This remark was brought about by the fact that no inquiry was held in the case of the Jones fire.

A number of prominent insurance men have interested themselves in a movement to obtain legislation to place the power of holding inquiries into suspicious fires, in the hands of the fire wardens or others appointed for the purpose.

Chief Deasy was questioned on the subject. He said:

"There is but one way to prevent incendiarism: hold investigations after every suspicious fire. The incendiary will be afraid that evidence will be forthcoming to connect him with the crime, and the honest man will prove that he had nothing to gain and will be pleased to prove his innocence. Incendiary fires are caused not only to secure insurance money, but through revenge and by persons irresponsible—boys and people with a mania for the excitement caused by a conflagration. It is almost impossible to detect an incendiary in the act of burning a building. If he succeeds all evidence is burned up. Take the fires in Victoria during the past five years. They are put down to cause of fire, unknown, no doubt a number of them incendiary; but the incendiary was responsible for many fires. At present no matter how suspicious we may be; no matter what evidence we may produce, nothing is done to ferret out the wretch who is attempting to burn up valuable property."

"If this thing continues the public generally will suffer. Insurance companies are not working for glory. When losses decrease rates will be low, when losses increase rates will be raised. At the recent convention of fire chiefs the subject of investigating fires was discussed and it was the unanimous opinion of the heads of fire departments that an official should be appointed in every city to summons witnesses and investigate all fires. In every large city this work is done by a fire marshal."

"Every citizen is interested in this question. If a house is burned for the insurance money an adjoining house, or a number of uninsured houses, might burn also. Last year the London Fire Ring was broken up. During the past 25 years the "ring" set fire to 800 buildings. A careful search, made by the insurance companies, revealed the fact that the London fire ring defrauded the insurance companies to the tune of $450,000."

"The city of Victoria has been very fortunate; but two recent fires show that incendiarism is practiced here. The bunglers did not do their work well, and an investigation would expose the ways of wretches too low for an introduction to a hangman. No person knows where they will strike the next match, and it is impossible to calculate the damage likely to occur. I am very much in favor of investigating to ascertain the causes of all fires."

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They Dance Masked.

The Sons of St. George masquerade ball in Assembly Hall last night was a success of the season. The attendance was large. The grand march formed at 9 o'clock. The masquerades were varied. A very pleasant evening was spent.

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MUCH CRY, LITTLE WOOL.

The Aldermen Discuss at Much Length Matters Already Well Thrashed Out.

All the aldermen except Ald. Humber were at last night's meeting of the city council. It was a special session and little business was transacted.

The board spent two hours discussing whether or not it was right to make householders connect with sewers, and to hold their property responsible for the debt. This was the effect of a clause in the local improvement by-law and finally stood.

Ald. Hall's by-law for the extension of Broad street from Pandora avenue to Cormorant street was the first thing called up. It was reconsidered, adopted and finally passed.

Ald. Hunter's by-law for the disposal of the municipal revenue of 1892 took the same course.

Ald. Munn's by-law for the correcting and revising of the voters' list of the municipality was read a second time and the council went into committee of the whole to consider it. The by-law was reported complete with amendments, the report was accepted and the by-law passed.

Ald. Hunter's by-law to amend the local improvement by-law was next taken up and the council went into committee of the whole. There was a difference of opinion on the section of the by-law regulating the connection of houses with the sewers. Ald. Hunter defended it and said that it was absolutely necessary to require connections properly inspected in every house, and that the property should be held responsible for it.

Ald. Baker said it was wrong to force people to make the connections. The local improvement by-law he denounced as a failure and a fraud as far as its promises were concerned. He predicted the defeat at the next election of all the aldermen who favored this measure.

Ald. McKillican said it was necessary to require property owners to connect with the sewers. The health of the city demanded it and the city had the right to order it done. In defending the local improvement by-law he said he had always looked for opposition to it. He said the people in the centre of the city could not be asked to pay for improvements in the suburbs. It was not right to expect them to. The by-law was correct in principle and he proposed to support it.

Ald. Styles objected to the force clause, because it did not seem clear to him. After an hour's further discussion the committee rose, reported, and the bill was passed.

They Form a Union.

The Sealers' Union adopted a constitution and by-laws last night. A committee was appointed to wait upon owners of schooners and arrange a scale of wages. Officers will be elected next week.

He Got Two Years.

John Jones, aged 17, convicted of larceny, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

To-Day

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TIME TABLE NO. 17.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, September 30th, 1892.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

BOUND SOUTH. (HEAD UP.)

STATIONS.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	Miles from Wellington.
VICTORIA	Ar. 12.24 P M	Ar. 5.58 P M	
RUSSELLS	" 12.32	" 6.54	7
GOLDSTREAM	" 12.40	" 6.44	14
COLWOOD	" 12.50	" 6.34	19
SUMMIT SIDING	" 11.10 A M	" 4.50	26
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 10.50	" 4.24	31
COBBLE HILL	" 10.30	" 4.14	36
McPHERSON'S	" 10.27	" 3.50	41
KOKSILAH	" 10.17	" 3.19	47
DUNCANS	" 10.12	" 3.44	52
GLENORA	" 10.02	" 3.34	58
CHEMAINUS	" 9.45	" 3.12	65
OYSTER BAY SIDING	" 9.35	" 2.55	72
NANAIMO	Dp. 8.35	" 2.25	79
NANAIMO	Ar. 8.35	"	
WELLINGTON	Dp. 8.10	Dp. 1.30	81

NORTH BOUND. (HEAD DOWN.)

STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	Miles from Victoria.
WELLINGTON	Dp. 8.00 A M	Dp. 2.20 P M	
NANAIMO	Dp. 8.34	" 2.44	1
NANAIMO	Ar. 8.34	" 2.47	2
OYSTER BAY SIDING	" 8.39	" 2.56	12
CHEMAINUS	" 8.51	" 3.08	19
GLENORA	" 9.01	" 3.18	26
DUNCANS	" 9.18	" 3.38	31
KOKSILAH	" 9.23	" 4.04	36
McPHERSON'S	" 9.33	" 4.14	41
COBBLE HILL	" 9.37	" 4.20	47
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 9.47	" 4.30	52
SUMMIT SIDING	" 10.07	" 4.54	58
GOLDSTREAM	" 10.21	" 5.04	65
COLWOOD	" 10.32	" 5.16	69
RUSSELLS	" 10.42	" 5.29	72
VICTORIA	Ar. 11.00	"	73
VICTORIA	Dp. 11.50	" 6.14	
VICTORIA	Ar. 12.15 P M	" A. 6.20	73

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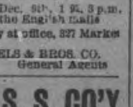

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Empress of India	.....	Oct. 16, 1892
Empress of Japan	Oct. 29, 1892	Nov. 13, "
Empress of China	Nov. 23, "	Dec. 12, "
Empress of India	Dec. 21, "	Jan. 9, 1893
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" Comox for Valdez Island ..... Thursday, 7 a.m.
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8 00 am	Lv	M1	...*Tacoma...	110	Ar	5 15 am	
10 15 am	Lv	28	....Seattle....	82	Lv	3 00 am	
1 30 pm	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend	38	Lv	11 45 pm	
4 30 pm	Ar	110	...Victoria†...	M1	Lv	8 30 pm	

Port Townsend Mail Route.

	Lv	M1			Ar		
11 00 pm	Lv	28	...*Seattle....	58	Ar	3 00 pm	
12 30 am	Lv	39	.Port Madison	47	Lv	2 10 pm	
	Lv	45	...Kingston...	41	Lv		
3 00 am	Lv	49	.Port Gamble.	21	Lv	11 00 am	
4 00 am	Lv	73	.Port Ludlow.	13	Lv	10 00 am	
6 00 am	Ar	86	‖Pt. Townsend	M1	Lv	8 00 am	

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CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO., (LIMITED.)

TIME TABLE No. 17,

Taking effect April 1, 1892

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock, a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 13 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 13 o'clock, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock

For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

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"REFORM IS NECESSARY."

Dr. Talmage Reminds the Electors of the United States of Their Duty.

The American People, Like the Nations of Old, Becoming Corrupt and Licentious

BROOKLYN, Nov. 6.—Rev. Dr. Talmage today selected for his sermon a subject sufficiently appropriate for these times, when throughout the United States great political questions are being discussed and the nation is about to go to the ballot box and decide who shall rule in the neighborhood, town, city and nation. The text chosen was Revelation xviii, 10, "Alas, alas, that great city Babylon, that mighty city, for in one hour is thy judgment come!"

Modern scientists are doing a splendid work in excavating the tomb of a dead empire holding in its arms a dead city—mother and child of the same name, Babylon. The ancient mound invites the spades and shovels and crowbars while the unwashed natives look on in surprise. These scientists find yellow bricks still impressed with the name of Nebuchadnezzar, and they go down into the sarcophagus of a monarchy buried more than two thousand years ago. May the explorations of Rawlinson and Layard and Chevalier and Opperto and Loftus and Chesney be eclipsed by the present archæological uncovering!

THE AWFUL RUIN.

But is it possible this is all that remains of Babylon—a city once five times larger than London and twelve times larger than New York? Walls three hundred and seventy-three feet high and ninety-three feet thick. Twenty-five burnished gates on each side, with streets running clear through to corresponding gates on the other side. Six hundred and twenty-five squares. More pomp and wealth and splendor and sin than could be found in any five modern cities combined. A city of palaces and temples. A city having within it a garden on an artificial hill four hundred feet high, the sides of the mountain terraced. All this built to keep the king's wife, Amytis, from becoming homesick for the mountainous region in which she had spent her girlhood. The waters of the Euphrates spouted up to irrigate this great altitude into fruits and flours and arborescence unimaginable. A great river running from north to south clear through the city, bridges over it, tunnels under it, boats on it.

A city of bazaars and of market places, unrivaled for aromatics and unguents, and high mettled horses with grooms by their side, and thyme wood, and African evergreen, and Egyptian linen, and all styles of costly textile fabric, and rarest purples extracted from shellfish on the Mediterranean coast, and rarest scarlets taken from brilliant insects in Spain, and ivories brought from successful elephant hunts in India, and diamonds whose flash was a repartee to the sun. Fortress within fortress, embattlement rising above embattlement. Great capital of the ages. But one night, while honest citizens were asleep, but all the saloons of saturnalia were in full blast, and at the king's castle they had filled the tankards for the tenth time, and reeling and guffawing and hiccoughing around the state table were the rulers of the land, General Cyrus ordered his besieging army to take shovels and spades, and they diverted the river from its usual channel into another direction, so that the forsaken bed of the river became the path on which the besieging army entered.

When the morning dawned the conquerors were inside the outside trenches. Babylon had fallen, and hence the sublime threnody of the text, "Alas, alas, that great city Babylon, that mighty city, for in one hour is thy judgment come!" But do nations die? Oh, yes; there is great mortality among monarchies and republics. They are like individuals in the fact that they are born; they have a middle life; they have a decease; they have a cradle and a grave. Some of them are assassinated, some destroyed by their own hand. Let me call the roll of some of the dead civilizations and some of the dead cities and let some one answer for them.

AS FORETOLD BY THE PROPHETS.

Egyptian civilization, stand up. "Dead!" answer the ruins of Karnak and Luxor, and from seventy pyramids on the east side of the Nile there comes up a great chorus, crying, "Dead, dead!" Assyrian empire, stand up and answer. "Dead!" cry the charred ruins of Nineveh. After six hundred years of magnificent opportunity, dead. Israelitish kingdom, stand up. After two hundred and fifty years of divine interposition, and of miraculous vicissitude, and of heroic behavior, and of appalling depravity, dead. Phœnicia, stand up and answer. After inventing the alphabet and giving it to the world, and sending out her merchant caravans in one direction to central Asia, and sending out her navigators to the Atlantic ocean in another direction, dead.

Pillars of Hercules and rocks on which the Tyrian fisherman dried their nets all answer, "Dead Phœnicia." Athens, after Phidias, after Demosthenes, after Miltiades, dead. Sparta, after Leonidas, after Euribiades, after Salamis, after Thermopylæ, dead. Roman empire, stand up and answer—empire once bounded by the British channel on the north, by the Euphrates on the east, by the great Sahara desert in Africa on the south, by the Atlantic ocean on the west; home of three great civilizations, owning all the then discovered world that was worth owning—Roman empire, answer. Gibbon in his "Rise and Fall of the Roman Empire" says, "Dead!" and the forsaken seats of the ruined Coliseum, and the skeleton of the aqueducts, and the miasma of the Campagna, and the fragments of the marble baths, and the useless piers of the Bridge Triumphalis, and the Mamertine prison, holding no more apostolic prisoners, and the silent Forum and Basilica of Constantine, and the arch of Titus, and the Pantheon come in with great chorus, crying, "Dead, dead." After Horace, after Virgil, after Tacitus, after Cicero—dead. After Horatius on the bridge, and Cincinnatus, the farmer oligarch, after Pompey, after Scipio, after Cassius, after Constantine, after Cæsar—dead. The war eagle of Rome flew so high it was blinded by the sun and came whirling down through the heavens, and the owl of desolation and darkness built its nest in the forsaken eyrie. Mexican empire—dead. French empire—dead.

WE, TOO, ARE THREATENED.

You see, my friends, it is no unusual thing for a government to perish, and in the same necrology of dead nations and in the same graveyard of expired governments will go the United States of America unless there be some potent voice to call a halt, and unless God in his mercy interferes, and through a purified ballot box and a widest-read public Christian sentiment the catastrophe be averted. This nation is about to go to the ballot box to exercise the right of suffrage, and I propose to set before you the evils that threaten to destroy the American government and to annihilate American institutions, and if God will help me I will show you before I get through the mode in which each and every one may do something to arrest that appalling calamity. And I shall plow up the whole field.

The first evil that threatens the annihilation of our American institutions is the fact that political bribery, which once was considered a crime, has by many come to be considered a tolerable virtue. There is a legitimate use of money in elections, in the printing of political tracts, and in the hiring of public halls, and in the obtaining of campaign oratory, but is there any homunculus who supposes that this vast amount of money now being raised by the political parties is going in a legitimate direction? The vast majority of it will go to buy votes.

Hundreds and thousands of men will have set before them so much money for a Republican vote, and so much money for a Democratic vote, and the superior financial inducement will decide the action. You want to know which party will carry the doubtful states day after tomorrow? I will tell you. The party that spends the most money. This moment, while I speak, the peddlers carrying gold from Wall street, gold from Third street, gold from State street and gold from the Brewers' association, are in all the political headquarters of the doubtful states, dealing out the infamous inducement.

There used to be bribery; but it held its head in shame. It was under the utmost secrecy that many years ago a railroad company bought up the Wisconsin legislature and many other public officials in that state. The governor of the state at that time received $50,000 for his signature. His private secretary received $5,000. Thirteen members of the senate received $175,000 among them in bonds. Sixty members of the other house received from $5,000 to $10,000 each. The lieutenant governor received $10,000. The clerks of the house received from $5,000 to $10,000 each. The bank comptroller received $10,000. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars were divided among the lobbyists. You see the railroad company was very generous. But all that was hidden, and only through the severest scrutiny on the part of a legislative committee was this iniquity displayed. Now political bribery defies you, dares you, is arrogant, and will probably decide the election next Tuesday.

A TERRIBLE DANGER.

Unless this diabolism ceases in this country Bartholdi's statue on Bedloe's island, with uplifted torch to light other nations into the harbor, had better be changed and the torch dropped as a symbol of universal incendiarism.

Unless this purchase and sale of suffrage shall cease the American government will expire, and you might as well be getting ready the monument for another dead nation and let my text inscribe upon it these words, "Alas, alas, for Babylon, that great city, that mighty city, for in one hour is thy judgment come!" My friends, if you have not noticed that political bribery is one of the ghastly crimes of this day, you have not kept your eyes open.

Another evil threatening the destruction of American institutions is the solidifying of the sections against each other. A solid north. A solid south. If this goes on we shall after awhile have a solid east against a solid west; we shall have solid middle states against solid northern states; we shall have a solid New York against a solid Pennsylvania, and a solid Ohio against a solid Kentucky. It is twenty-seven years since the warcloud, and yet at every presidential election the old antagonism is aroused. When Garfield died and all the states gathered around his casket in sympathy and in tears, and as hearty telegrams of condolence came from New Orleans and Charleston as from Boston and Chicago, I said to myself, "I think sectionalism is dead." But, alas, no! The difficulty will never be ended until each state of the nation is split up into two or three great political parties.

This country cannot exist unless it exists as one body, the national capital, the heart, sending out through all the arteries of communication warmth and life to the very extremities. This nation cannot exist unless it exists as one family, and you might as well have solid brothers against solid sisters, and a solid bread tray against a solid cradle, and a solid nursery against a solid dining room, and you might as well have solid ears against solid eyes, and solid head against solid foot. What is the interest of Georgia is the interest of Massachusetts; what is the interest of New York is the interest of South Carolina. Does the Ohio river change its politics when it gets below Louisville? It is not possible for these sectional antagonisms to continue for a great many years without permanent compound fracture.

HAS THIS NATION FORGOTTEN GOD?

Another evil threatening the destruction of our American institutions is the low state of public morals.

What killed Babylon of my text? What killed Phœnicia? What killed Rome? Their own depravity, and the fraud, and the drunkenness, and the lechery which have destroyed other nations will destroy ours unless a merciful God prevent. To show you the low state of public morals I have to call your attention to the fact that many men nominated for offices in different states at different times are entirely unfit for the positions for which they have been nominated.

They have no more qualification for them than a wolf has qualification to be professor of pastoral theology in a flock of sheep, or a blind mole has qualification to lecture a class of eagles on optics, or than a vulture has qualification to chaperon a dove. The mere pronunciation of some of their names makes a demand for carbolic acid and fumigation! Yet Christian men will follow right on under the political standards.

I have to tell you what you know already, that American politics have sunken to such a low depth that there is nothing beneath. What we see in some directions we see in nearly all directions. The peculation and the knavery hurled to the surface by the explosion of banks and business firms are only specimens of great Cotopaxis and Strombolis of wickedness that boil and roar and surge beneath, but have not yet regurgitated to the surface. When the heaven descended Democratic party enacted the Tweed rascality it seemed to eclipse everything, but after awhile the heaven descended Republican party outwitted pandemonium with the star route infamy.

My friends, we have in this country people who say the marriage institution amounts to nothing. They scoff at it. We have people walking in polite parlors in our day who are not good enough to be scavengers in Sodom! I went over to San Francisco ten or fifteen years ago—that beautiful city, that queen of the Pacific. May the blessing of God come down upon her great churches and her noble men and women! When I got into the city of San Francisco the mayor of the city and the president of the board of health called on me and insisted that I go and see the Chinese quarter, no doubt so that on my return to the Atlantic coast I might tell what dreadful people the Chinese are.

But on the last night of my stay in San Francisco, before thousands of people in their great opera house, I said, "Would you like me to tell you just what I think, plainly and honestly?" They said, "Yes, yes, yes!" I said, "Do you think you can stand it all?" They said, "Yes, yes, yes!" "Then," I said, "my opinion is that the curse of San Francisco is not your Chinese quarter, but your millionaire libertines!"

LIBERTINES IN HIGH PLACES.

And two of them sat right before me—Felix and Drusilla. And so it is in all the cities. I never swear, but when I see a man go unwhipped of justice, laughing over his shame and calling his damnable deeds gallantry and peccadillo, I am tempted to hurl redhot anathema and to conclude that if, according to some people's theology, there is no hell, there ought to be!

There is enough out and out licentiousness in American cities today to bring down upon them the wrath of that God who, on the 24th of August, 79, buried Herculaneum and Pompeii so deep in ashes that the eighteen hundred and thirteen subsequent years have not been able to complete the exhumation. There are in some of the American cities today whole blocks of houses which the authorities know to be infamous, and yet by purchase they are silenced by hush money, so that such places are as much under the defense of government as public libraries and asylums of mercy.

These ulcers on the body politic bleed and gangrene away the life of the nation, and public authority in many of the cities looks the other way. You cannot cure such wounds as these with a silken bandage. You will have to cure them by putting deep in the lancet of moral surgery, and burning them out with the caustic of holy wrath, and with most decisive amputation cutting off the scabrous and putrefying abominations. As the Romans were after the Celts, and as the Normans were after the Britons, so there are evils after this nation which will attend its obsequies unless we first attend theirs.

NATIONAL BOT THREATENING.

Superstition tells of a marine reptile, the cephaloptera, which enfolded and crushed a ship of war; but it is no superstition when I tell you that the history of many of the dead nations proclaims to us the fact that our ship of state is in danger of being crushed by the cephaloptera of national depravity. Where is the Hercules to slay this hydra? Is it not time to speak by pen, by tongue, by ballot box, by the rolling of the prison door, by hangman's halter, by earnest prayer, by Sinaitic detonation?

A son of King Cœsus is said to have been dumb and to have never uttered a word until he saw his father being put to death. Then he broke the shackles of silence and cried out, "Kill not my father, Cœsus!" When I see the cheatery and the wantonness and the manifold crime of this country attempting to commit patricide—yea, matricide—upon our institutions, it seems to me that lips that heretofore have been dumb ought to break the silence with canorous tones of fiery protest.

I want to put all of the matter before you, so that every honest man and woman will know just how matters stand, and what they ought to do if they vote, and what they ought to do if they pray. This nation is not going to perish. Alexander, when he heard of the wealth of the Indies, divided Macedonia among his soldiers. Some one asked him what he had kept for himself, and he replied, "I am keeping hope!" And that jewel I keep bright and shining in my soul, whatever else I shall surrender. Hope thou in God. He will set back these oceanic tides of moral devastation. Do you know what is the prize for which contention is made today? It is the prize of this continent.

Never since, according to John Milton, when "satan was hurled headlong flaming from the ethereal skies in hideous ruin and combustion down," have the powers of darkness been so determined to win this continent as they now are. What a jewel it is—a jewel carved in relief, the cameo of this planet! On one side of us the Atlantic ocean, dividing us from the wornout governments of Europe. On the other side the Pacific ocean, dividing us from the superstitions of Asia. On the north of us the Arctic sea, which is the gymnasium in which the explorers and navigators develop their courage. A continent 10,500 miles long, 17,000,000 square miles, and all of it but about one-seventh capable of rich cultivation.

THE GREAT NATION.

One hundred millions of population on this continent of North and South America—one hundred millions, and room for many hundred millions more. All flora, and all fauna, all metals, and all precious woods, and all grains, and all fruits. The Appalachian range the backbone and the rivers the ganglia, carrying life all through and out to the extremities. Isthmus of Darien the narrow waist of a giant continent, all to be under one government, and all free, and all Christian, and the scene of Christ's personal reign on earth if, according to the expectation of many people, he shall at last set up his throne in this world.

Who shall have this hemisphere? Christ or satan? Who shall have the shore of her inland seas, the silver of her Nevadas, the gold of her Colorados, the telescopes of her observatories, the brain of her universities, the wheat of her prairies, the rice of her savannahs, the two great ocean beaches—the one reaching from Baffin's bay to Terra del Fuego, and the other from Behring straits to Cape Horn—and all the moral and temporal and spiritual and everlasting interests of a population vast beyond all computation save by him with whom a thousand years are as one day? Who shall have the hemisphere? You and I will decide that, or help to decide it, by conscientious vote, by earnest prayer, by maintenance of Christian institutions, by support of great philanthropies, by putting body, mind and soul on the right side of all moral, religious and national movements.

Ah, it will not be long before it will not make any difference to you or to me what becomes of this continent, so far as earthly comfort is concerned. All we will want of it will be seven feet by three, and that will take in the largest, and there will be room and to spare. That is all of this country we will need very soon, the youngest of us. But we have an anxiety about the welfare and the happiness of the generations that are coming on, and it will be a grand thing if, when the archangel's trumpet sounds, we find that our sepulcher, like the one Joseph of Arimathea provided for Christ, is in the midst of a garden. By that time this country will be all paradise or all dry tortugas. Eternal God, to thee we commit the destiny of this people!

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SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

Dec. 30.

AUCTION SALES.

GEO. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION.

Livery Stable

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23rd,
At 2 p.m.,
Re Garnet, Deceased.

I have been instructed by the Administrtrix to sell by Auction on the premises, Broad Street, the outfit of the late E. Garnet, deceased, consisting of:
7 head of carriage horses,
1 Brougham carriage,
1 Rockaway carriage,
2 single sleighs, 1 double sleigh.
Lot of harness and stable fixings.
Also the goodwill of the business.
This property will be offered en bloc as a going concern, and if no satisfactory bid is made the property will be sold separately to the highest bidder.

GEO. BYRNES,
no17-td Auctioneer.

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Gold and Silver Watches, Diamonds, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Jewellery, Solid Silver Breakfast, Dinner and Tea Services, Articles of Vertu, Birthday, Wedding, Christmas and New Year Presents.

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To sell by Auction at their Store, 63 Government Street, on

TUESDAY, THE 22nd,

And following days, so much of their Stock as will realize

Ten Thousand Dollars,

($10,000), which sum they must realize before the 1st of January next, to meet liabilities falling due. The stock is costly, elegant, new; was selected with great care and is replete with everything necessary for adornment and utility, and is now open to inspection.

The Auctioneers feel it their duty and at the same time a pleasure to call the attention of the citizens of Victoria and British Columbia generally to this important Sale, affording as it does, a most unusual opportunity to purchase Wedding, Christmas, and New Year Gifts.

Sale will commence each day at 12 p.m., continuing till 4.30 p. m., and by adjournment from 7.30 to 9 p.m.

D. JOHNSON,
The Auctioneer.

This is not a closing out sale, inasmuch as the proprietors will continue the business as usual after meeting their liabilities.

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ACCOMMODATION FOR 100 GUESTS

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TERMS, from $1 to $2 per Day.

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W. JONES, Proprietor.
July 30-tf

LEGAL NOTICES.

The Creditors' Trusts Deeds Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that George T. Sheret, of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, Merchant, has by deed dated and executed by both parties on the 16th day of November, 1892, assigned all his real and personal estate to Charles A. Godson, of the said city of Victoria, for the benefit of his creditors.

All persons having claims against the said Assignor are required to send them in on or before the 17th day of December, 1892, to the said Assignee or his Solicitors, with full particulars in writing signed by the party claiming.

And notice is hereby given that after the said date the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the creditors having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which the said Assignee shall then have had notice.

Dated at the City of Victoria, B.C., this 17th day of November, A.D. 1892.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
no17-1m Solicitors for Assignee.

NOTICE.

On and after this date Henry Herring has no claim upon or right and title to act on my behalf.

JAMES ALLISON,
Prop. Paisley Dye Works, 116 Yates St.
November 16th, 1892.—3t

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for renewal of Hotel Dallas liquor license.

Nov. 11th, 1892.—1m WM. JENSEN.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, to be held on Wednesday, the 14th Day of December, 1892, for a renewal of my licence to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail in the premises known as THE WILSON Hotel, situate on Lot 421, Yates Street, in the City of Victoria.

Dated 4th November, 1892.

no7-td WILLIAM KELDAY TULLOCH

NOTICE is hereby given that I will apply at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of the license of the Pacific Telegraph Hotel, to the New Telegraph Hotel, Store Street.

J. MERRIFIELD.

Victaria, Nov. 2, 1892.—td

NOTICE is hereby given, that we, William Walker and T. Reinhardt, lately carrying on business under the firm name of Walker & Reinhardt, intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer and renewal of the license now held by us unto Ross J. Ferguson, to sell liquors in the premises known as the Janion Hotel, Store Street, in the City of Victoria.

(Signed) WALKER & REINHARDT,
per William Walker.

Dated November 9th, 1892.—1m

Estate of Wm. Elford.

All parties indebted to the estate of the late Wm. Elford, are requested to settle the same on or before the 10th of December next. Accounts then unpaid will be placed in the hands of a lawyer for collection. Parties having claims against the said estate are requested to send details of the same to the undersigned.

R. ELFORD.

Victoria, Nov. 9.—td

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 141, 142 and 144, in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to William Parsons Sayward on the 21st day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 19th October 1892. oc21-3m

LEGAL NOTICES.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership of Gustav Hauck and H. M. Tiffin, carrying on business at Ladner's Landing under the style of Hauck and Tiffin, has been dissolved by mutual consent, H. M. Tiffin retiring.

Gustav Hauck will carry on the business, pay all debts, and collect all outstandings of the late firm.

GUSTAV HAUCK.
H. M. TIFFIN.

Ladner's Landing, November 16th, 1892.—1m

The Creditors' Trusts Deeds Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that James Macaulay and Robert W. Higginbottom, both of the City of Victoria, Merchants, doing business under the name and style of "Macaulay & Higginbottom," have by deed dated the 1st day of November, 1892, and executed by the said James Macaulay and the said Robert W. Higginbottom, respectively, on the 2nd and 1st days of November, 1892, assigned all their real and personal estate, except as therein mentioned to Simon Amable D. Bertrand, of the City of Winnipeg, in the Province of Manitoba, Official Assignee, for the benefit of their creditors, which said deed was executed by the said Simon Amable D. Bertrand, on the 8th day of November, 1892.

All persons having claims against the said Assignors are required to send them in on or before the 15th day of December, 1892, to the said Assignee or his Solicitors, with full particulars in writing signed by the party claiming.

And notice is hereby given that after the said date the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the creditors, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which the said Assignee shall then have had notice.

Dated at the City of Victoria, B.C., this 14th day of November, 1892.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
no14-1m Solicitors for the Assignee.

Municipal Act, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria, British Columbia, at the next sitting of the Board, for a license to sell and supply beer, porter and wines with meals, and not otherwise, at the Balmoral Restaurant now occupied by me and situate in the Kirk Block, Douglas street, in the said city, and on town lot No. 104, block 14, in the said city.

FREDERICK WILLIAM GARLAND,
Victoria, B.C., November 12th, 1892.—1m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at its next sitting, Wednesday the 14th day of December next, for an hotel license to sell wine, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail, in the building known as Duck's Building, situate on the west side of Broad Street, between Johnson and Yates Streets, on Lots 159a and 160a, Block 2, in the City of Victoria, and containing upwards of thirty rooms.

Dated 11th November, 1892.

td M. C. BROWN.

NOTICE is hereby given that we, William Shewan and Robert Menaugh intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at the next sitting thereof on the second Wednesday of December, 1892, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by us for the premises known as the American Hotel, Yates Street, in the City of Victoria, to William John Hambly, and Frederick William Hilbert, both of Victoria, for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors by retail at the said premises hereinbefore mentioned.

Dated, Victoria, B.C., 1st November, 1892.

W. H. SHEWAN.
no2-1m ROBT. M'ENAUGH.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty day after date we shall, on behalf of Honorable J. S. Helmcken, M.D., make application to the Honorable Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, for permission to erect a wharf fronting on his property, Lots 1367, 1368 and 1369, Block 47, Victoria City. Plans of the said wharf are now deposited with the Department of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the Land Registry office at Victoria, B. C.

Oct. 21th, 1892.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
oc24-1m Solicitors for Hon. J. S. Helmcken.

Board of Health Notice.

The attention of MEDICAL MEN is directed to the provisions of Section 13 of the Consolidated Health By-Law, which reads as follows:

13. Every medical practitioner attending or visiting any person who is suffering from small-pox, cholera or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

The attention of KEEPERS OF HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES in the City is directed to Section 12 of the Consolidate Health By-Law, which is as follows:

12. Whenever a person suffering from small-pox, cholera, or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, is an inmate of any hotel or boarding house, the keeper, or one of the keepers, of such hotel or boarding house shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 22

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

FOOTBALL.

RUGBY AT THE PARK.

The Victoria Football Club plays against the Navy at Beacon Hill park this afternoon. The names are:

Navy—W. T. H. Hayward, back; C. F. Petch, Lieut. Sir R. K. Arbuthnot (captain), and R. G. H. Tyrer, three-quarter backs; M. H. Hodges, Lieut. A. P. Ethelston and T. H. Millett, half-backs; Lieut. B.M. Chambers (Nymphe), Lieut, E. L. C. Muntz (Nymphe), T. O. Jameson (Nymphe), H. L. Manning (Hyacinthe), W. A. Wilson (Melpomene), W. K. Stephens (Melpomene), H. C. Somerville and W. C. Chaytor, forwards.

Victoria—W. A. Ward, back; H Hugonin, A. Crease and C. Roberts, three-quarter backs; R. J. Ackland and H. Haines, half-backs: Dr. Watt, H F M Jones, E. E. Billinghurst, H. Barker, G. Brimston, J. Fraser, L. Crease, W. H. Laitt and W. H. Pegram, forwards.

The kick-off took place at 3 o'clock promptly.

THE TURF.

WHAT THEY WILL DO.

The Victoria Turf Club have provided for the construction of well laid out grounds at Mount Tolmie. There will be a half mile track with athletic, lacrosse and polo grounds. The track will be oval, 50 feet wide on the stretch and 40 the remainder of the distance. Grand stand, judges' stand and stables will be erected. The grand stand will seat 1000. A press room will be fitted up in the judges' stand with telegraph and telephone. The stables will furnish room for 25 horses. The capital stock is $20,000. One half has already been subscribed. Membership tickets will cost $5 each.

BASEBALL.

THE GAME OF THE SEASON.

There is going to be lots of fun at Beacon Hill this afternoon. Nine captains from the sealing fleet are going to play nine hunters a match game of baseball. No practice whatever has been allowed and the game will be very funny.

THE CUE.

REID WON THE MATCH.

Archie Reid, of Victoria, defeated F. Clayton, of London, Eng., in a pool tournament at the Delmonico last night. Reid won 11 out of 21 games.

COMOX SCHOOL TROUBLE.

Election of Trustees—Mr. Muir Supported by the People.

At a largely attended meeting of the ratepayers of the South Comox school district, Mr. J. B. Holmes was appointed the chairman and Mr. R. McConnell the secretary of the meeting. The chairman stated that the meeting had been called to elect trustees in place of those who had again resigned. The reason they had again resigned was because they had received from Minister Baker what was equivalent to an order directing them to dismiss Mr. Muir and to appoint another teacher. They had asked Mr. Muir to deliver up the keys, which he at once did, then they had handed them over to the Government agent, who in turn had restored them to Mr. Muir upon receiving a request signed by all the parents of the pupils to do so in order that Mr. Muir might continue to teach until this meeting. He was very sorry that the new paper just starting out in the district (the Weekly Press) had gone out of its way to misrepresent the late board of trustees. He did not regret the action he had taken as trustee in selecting Mr. Muir; as he had thus acted in the best interests of the children. By the trustees resigning the Government would find that although it had a new board of trustees to deal with, yet they too would be just as determined to stand up for the rights of this district, because the people were at their back. In this way the case would be strengthened, as the Government would now be convinced that the trustees were not acting from personal or political motives, but only for the good of the district.

The correspondence since the last election was then called for and read.

Mr. Beckensell then stated that he had not resigned; but was willing to do as the meeting wished. He was requested to act still.

It was then moved and seconded that Mr. S. Creech be a trustee to fill the longest term and that Mr. W. Anderton be the other trustee. After the chairman had called for any other nominations it was carried that nominations do close and the chairman declared the trustees to be elected by acclamation.

The meeting then closed with a vote of thanks for the chairman and the secretary.

A meeting of the new board was held at once and Mr. Muir was re instated teacher as before. RATEPAYER.

Comox, Nov. 16th, 1892.

WHAT A MOTHER SAYS.

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A DESPERATE ENCOUNTER.

Provincial Police Capture Two Whiskey Thieves After a Lively Scuffle.

Governor W. Moresby Gets a Full Brandy Bottle Smashed Over His Head.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 19.—After a desperate fight Governor Moresby and Constable Wiggins arrested J. McCabe and Peter Adair last night on the south side of Lulu Island. Four days ago a gang broke into Bell-Irving & Paterson's government bonded warehouse. The watchman traced the thieves, and the brandy and whiskey stolen was found at the shingle mill on the island. Mr. Moresby discovered several cases stowed away among shingles; he and Wiggins then watched. Two men came along and when they had taken half a dozen bottles from their hiding place, the police sprang on them. Wiggins was instantly downed by McCabe, but almost killed his man in the dyke ditch where the pair rolled. Adair struck Moresby with a full bottle brandy over the head, the felt hat saving Moresby's life, but not preventing a nasty wound. With the assistance of a man named Herring the men were taken to the lock-up. This morning seven cases of brandy and whiskey were recovered, but many more are missing. The custom house will prosecute.

Dr. Herald, of Langley, has been stationed at Blaine to examine and vaccinate all crossing to this side.

Calvary Baptist Y. P. U. Concert.

Those desiring to hear a high class entertainment will do well to attend the Calvary B. Y. P. Union concert on Monday evening next. The committee has arranged a choice and varied programme for the occasion. The majority of those who contributed to the success of the W. C. T. U. concert, and other talented vocalists and readers will provide the evening's entertainment.

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